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**PATENT**  
**Attorney Docket No. 8830-10 (157952)**

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the specification of which was filed on May 8, 2000 as PCT Application No. PCT/GB00/01753 and amended on May 15, 2001 (if applicable).

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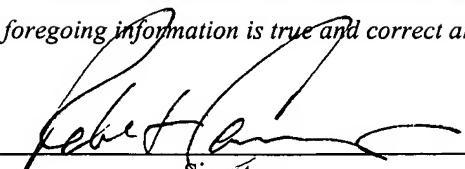
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for which I filed an International application dated May 8, 2000 as PCT Application No. PCT/GB00/01753, and

WHEREAS, Ewos Limited, a company having a place of business at Ewos Technology Centre, Unit 1, Kingsthorpe Industrial Park, Houston Industrial Estate, Livingston, EH54 5DB, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE" is desirous of acquiring said invention and said application for Letters Patent,

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